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RE: MUR 6357

American Crossroads and Margee Clancy, in her official capacity as treasurer

Dear Messrs. Josefiak and Bayes:

On August 31, 2011, the Federal Election Commission notified your clients, American Crossroads and Margee Clancy, in her official capacity as treasurer, of a complaint alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended.

On January 24, 2012, the Commission considered the complaint but was equally divided on whether to find reason to believe American Crossroads and Margee Clancy, in her official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 441a(a) and 434(b). Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Stetement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003) and Statement of Policy Regarding Placing First General Counsel's Reports on the Public Record, 74 Fed. Reg. 66,132 (Dec. 14, 2009). A Statement of Reasons explaining the Commission's decision will follow.

If you have any questions, please contact Kasey Morgenheim, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

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